

## THREE BULLETS KILL AS 'L' TRAIN PASSES

Ex-Convict Dies in Street Quarrel  
and Murderer Escapes Over  
East Side Roof.

Three men met at 10 o'clock last night in front of No. 187 Allen Street and had an argument. One suddenly pulled a revolver and as an elevated train was passing fired three shots. The man at whom he fired dropped to the street and died instantly with a bullet in his left eye, another in his left ear, and a third in his abdomen.

The man with the revolver and his companion fled into the tenement house and escaped over the roof. Through his finger prints the dead man was identified as Morris Rubin, an ex-convict, said by the police to be a recognized east side "bad man."

## To Cure Catarrhal Deafness and Head Noises

Persons suffering from catarrhal deafness and head noises will be glad to know that this distressing affliction can be successfully treated at home by an internal remedy that in many instances has effected a complete cure after all else has failed. Sufferers who could scarcely hear a watch tick have had their hearing restored to such an extent that the tick of a watch was plainly audible seven or eight inches away from either ear.

Therefore, if you know some one who is troubled with head noises or catarrh, or catarrhal deafness, cut out this formula and hand it to them, and you will have been the means of saving some poor sufferer perhaps from total deafness. The prescription can be prepared at home, and is made as follows:

Secure from your druggist 1 oz. Permin (Double Strength), about the weight of a small coin, and add to it 1/2 pint of hot water and 4 oz. of granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day.

The first dose should begin to relieve the distressing head noises, headache, dullness, cloudy thinking, etc., while the hearing rapidly returns as the system is invigorated by the tonic action of the treatment. Loss of appetite and nervous drooping in the back of the throat are other symptoms that show the presence of catarrhal poison, and which are often entirely overcome by this efficacious treatment. Nearly ninety per cent. of all ear troubles are said to be directly caused by catarrh, therefore there must be many people whose hearing can be restored by this simple home treatment.

Every person who is troubled with head noises, catarrhal deafness or catarrh in any form, should give this prescription a trial.—Advt.

## STATE TO DEMAND BIGGER PHONE CUT FOR FLAT TENANTS

Up-State P. S. Board Will Not  
Accept Trust's Offer in  
Present Form.

UNFAIR TO SMALL USER.

Experts Say Trouble Is Effort  
to Maintain High Charge  
for Equipment.

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Evening World.

ALBANY, March 12.—Members of the up-State Public Service Commission meet to-day to pass upon the reduced rate schedule offered by the New York Telephone Company to end the long period of overcharges inflicted on the New York City public. It can be authoritatively stated that the schedule in its present form will not be accepted.

A staff of experts, both engineers and accountants, have been working on the schedules to figure out just how they will affect different classes of subscribers. Their reports are to be laid before the Commission to-day with summaries and chart diagrams showing just where the reductions fall, who benefit most and who should have more consideration.

The more the experts figure the more evident it becomes that the small apartment houses are in need of additional reductions. They obtain practically no relief at all under the schedule offered. Taking the sample case of an

apartment with ten extension telephones, the rates figure out 77¢ cents per message.

This is made up of the lump sum charge of \$128 for switchboard, one trunk wire and two telephones, with an allowance of 2,400 messages, which is the smallest unit in the private branch exchange schedule. To this must be added \$48 for eight extension telephones at \$6 per year each, making the total of \$186.

The company alleges that this is a large reduction from their present minimum rate of \$204, but in reality it is not, because the \$204 gives two trunk lines and 3,000 messages. Reduced to the basis of 2,400 messages, requiring only one trunk line, the old rate is really lower than the new.

CHARGE FOR EQUIPMENT UP TO  
OLD TIME LEVEL.

In analyzing the reasons for this, the experts discovered that the telephone company is endeavoring to maintain at the old time high level the extra charges imposed for switchboard equipment. The direct line subscriber, even the smallest, gets his equipment free. But the larger patron requiring a switchboard with extensions, and using messages by the thousand, must pay annual rent for the use of all apparatus.

Under the prevailing rates, the private branch exchange subscriber pays \$36 per year for the use of a switchboard, \$24 for each trunk line, \$6 for each extension telephone and his messages at three cents each. Under the so-called reduced rates proposed by the company the rental charged for trunk line still remains at \$24 each and extension telephones up

to ten at the same old price of \$6 each.

At first glance there appears to be a reduction in switchboard rental from \$36 to \$20, but a very clever little joker has been inserted which boosts the price higher than ever. The new \$20 rate is for switchboards having not more than thirty drops or wire connections. For each drop over thirty an additional charge of \$1.20 per year is made.

To-day the charge for switchboards is \$24, regardless of size. Under the proposed rates, the charge would increase according to size. An establishment having a board with fifty drops would pay \$54 per year for it; for 100 drops, \$114.

MAY ELIMINATE ALL CHARGES  
FOR EQUIPMENT.

One proposition under consideration

tion by the commission is to eliminate all special charges for equipment, fixing the message rate for switchboard service so that all extra would be absorbed in it. The larger the number of messages contracted for the more trunk lines and extension stations would be allowed to the subscriber without special charge.

The commission is aiming to make the 5-cent rate a reality for everybody in New York, and it considers the apartment schedule the one most in need of attention. With the analytical reports of experts before them, the Commissioners intend working without interruption on the telephone case until it is finally ironed out to a satisfactory conclusion.

In this they expect co-operation of the telephone company, which already

has announced its policy of endeavoring to please instead of to combat its patrons, the public.

While the proffered schedule contains many reductions that work out equitably to all, there are inequalities which have yet to be adjusted. These are:

Excessive rates to small apartment houses that prevent a five-cent message rate to tenants.

Direct line subscribers in Manhattan and Brooklyn charged with too high minimum requirements for residential service, 300 messages per year for \$42.

Burdensome tolls imposed on messages between outlying boroughs. While Manhattan can talk to Brooklyn without toll charges, Jamaica must pay extra for communication with Brooklyn or with Flushing.

## The Spring Showing of JUVENILE MILLINERY Is Wonderfully Attractive

Style-touches that lift these Hats away from the mediocre. An unprecedented assortment, both in styles and colors.

Misses' Smart Dress Hats, \$6.95

Charming creations, employing leghorn, Milan and hemp straw, fruit-, flower-, wing- or ribbon-trimmed. The newest colors and most novel effects. For ages 6 to 18 years.

School Girls' Hats, \$4.95

Milans, hemp and fancy braids. Trimmed with flowers, ribbon or fruit. Each a thoroughly appropriate "girl type."

Second Floor.

## A Large and Charming Assortment of Spring Apparel for Children

(Ages 2 to 6 years)

THE NEWEST SPRING COATS are in exceedingly attractive models. Covert cloths, serges, corduroy, Bedford cord, crepe, poplin, checked and striped woolsens are used. High or low belted models, also pleated or box styles.

Priced at \$3.95 to \$16.50

HATS are very fetching this season—Dainty styles in Milan hemp, Panama, leghorn, tussan and satin straw, in a great variety of appropriate colors for juveniles.

Priced at \$2.50 to \$8.50

NEW WASH DRESSES made of very pretty ginghams or poplin in a great diversity of styles and colors.

Priced at \$1.50 to \$3.00

## Tomorrow, a Remarkable Showing of Trimmed Hats at \$10.00

We have prepared just 150 in our workrooms. Shown the first time tomorrow. Authentic, very smart styles. Fine straw materials and fashionable trimmings of flowers, wings, ostrich; some show the new large-brim effect. Many colors, light and dark; all black Hats; black Hats relieved by a touch of color; all in the newest shapes and braids of straw.

AN EXTENSIVE COLLECTION of Trimmed Straw Hats at \$5.00, and many smart ideas at \$6.50, \$7.50 and \$8.95.

Third Floor

## Smartest Spring Styles in Women's Oxfords and Pumps

Actually 101 Styles and Color Combinations in the newest shades of glaze kid, buckskin and imported "dreadnaught" cloth quarters with patent calf, coltskin, gun metal and white calf, white buckskin and bronze kid vamps.

31 Styles at \$5.00  
26 Styles at \$6.00  
23 Styles at \$6.50  
21 Styles at \$7.00

A strong story, briefly told.

Second Floor

The Sale of WOMEN'S UNION SUITS of Excellent Ribbed Lisle at 39¢ continues tomorrow. Low neck; plain or fancy yoke; lace-trimmed; tight knee. Regular and extra sizes. A great economy.

## Tomorrow, Great Savings in Imported White Gloves

12-button fine White Lambskin  
Glove Gloves, SPECIAL AT \$1.00  
16-button fine White Lambskin  
Glove Gloves, SPECIAL AT \$1.15  
One-clasp, fine white Washable  
Doeshin Gloves, SPECIAL AT 69¢

Main Floor

## Saks & Company

Broadway at 34th Street

## Special Offerings Tomorrow in Misses' Distinctive Suits at \$25.00

A SPECIAL GROUP OF 200 VERY DRESSY SUITS IN 20 STYLES, including faithful copies and finely executed adaptations of youthful models, excellently tailored, in gabardine, men's wear serge, wool faille, and check, worsteds. Lined in silk of contrasting or self colors. Black and Spring shades; 14 to 18 years.

Street Dresses; Suspender Model \$14.50

Very chic models; detachable and washable striped silk or Shantung blouse, which may be worn high or low neck. Navy, Belgian blue, black, black-and-white check.

Spring Coats; Slip-on Model \$10.00

New three-quarters length, with novel variations as to collar, belt and pockets. Covert cloth, army cloth, gabardine, English serge, mixtures, overplaid and checks. Spring colors and black.

Also at \$12.95 and \$16.50.

## Spring Models in Coats for Girls At \$5.00, \$7.95 and \$9.75

Semi-box, belted and Empire models executed skillfully in English serges, covert cloth, check worsteds and army cloth. Detachable plain or embroidered pique collar

of self color, or contrasting silk collar. Slashed or patch pockets. Navy, Belgian blue, putty, sand, black-and-white check. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

## Girls' Washable Dresses, \$1, \$1.50, \$2

Fine quality plain striped check or plaid gingham. In one-piece Russian, suspender, coatee or Empire models. An extensive assortment of colors and combinations. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

Second Floor

## Saturday Only An Exceptional Sale of 400 Fancy and Plain Tailored Suits For Women at \$24.00

COATS—plain tailored, braid-bound, mannish collar and sleeves, or, fancy models with vestee and detachable collar of pique or fancy silk; tight sleeves. Some are tailored with straight back, one button front; others in new belted effect. Shown in the new lengths.

SKIRTS are box-pleated, side-pleated or shirred from the belt; circular flare or straight models with fancy pockets. Some have self-belts, others cuff bottoms.

MATERIALS—men's wear serge, gabardine, wool faille, mannish mixtures, satin cloth, French serge, shepherd's check woolsens. Black, navy, Belgian blue, sand, putty, battleship gray, mouse, black-and-white, blue-and-white checks, gray and brown mixtures.

All Suits are handsomely lined with plain or fancy silks. Sizes 34 to 44.

Fourth Floor

## Women's Taffeta Silk Skirts Special Tomorrow at \$4.85

The Taffeta is of high grade, and will give splendid satisfaction in the wearing. Made in the newest spiral effect, with flare at bottom. In black, only. Waist bands up to 36.

## Women's Separate Coats At Unusually Attractive Prices

Women's Sport & Storm Coats \$15

SMART three-quarter and seven-eighth length. Tweeds, home-spuns, shepherd check woolsens, navy or black gabardine, white Worumbo chinchilla, corduroy and serges. BLAZERS in plain colors or stripes, all are light in weight, yet sufficiently warm for early Spring.

Women's New-est Street Coats \$19.50

SEVERAL very attractive models, in army cloth; navy, black or putty colored gabardine; poplins, covert cloth, silk faille, and plaid or check woolsens. Some lined throughout. Choker or notched collar. Some models with new patch pockets.

Fourth Floor

## Tomorrow, two Extraordinary Values in WOMEN'S DRESSES

AFTERNOON DRESSES of faille taffeta, crepe de chine or pongee. Fancy chiffon cloth waist; V-front neck or military effect. Full 3- to 4-yard circular or shirred skirt, in the wanted spring shades and black. All sizes 34 to 44, but not every style in every size. A GREAT REDUCTION from the price of six weeks ago.

Fourth Floor

STREET DRESSES—Spring models in fine serge. High, military collar, or with V-shaped neck front, and high back collar. Normal or short waistline. Very full circular or pleated skirt. Black, brown, Hague blue; 34 to 42.

Fourth Floor

## Newest Spring Models in BOYS' CLOTHING Will Be Shown To-Morrow.

Three noteworthy values, representative of what we believe to be the City's most satisfactory showing of Boys' Clothing.

Boys' Norfolk Suits at \$10.95

TWO PAIRS KNICKERBOCKERS. Newest novelties, both as to style and fabric. Splendidly tailored, even to the minute details. Ages 7 to 18.

Boys' Norfolk Suits at \$8.95

TWO PAIRS OF KNICKERBOCKERS. Smartest models. Youthful fabrics splendidly tailored. Mohair-lined; 7 to 18 years.

Special Norfolk Suits at \$6.95

TWO PAIRS KNICKERBOCKERS. Pleated back and front with patch pockets, double breasted. Single breasted, with three patch pockets. Both styles mohair-lined. Fancy cassimeres, in gray, brown or olive. Sizes 7 to 18 years.

Boys' Spring Top Coats, \$8.50, \$9.95 and \$13.75

Featuring entirely new and exclusive models. Very attractive garments, with full one-piece skirt, kimono sleeves, and velvet collar. Very snappy. Beautiful fabrics. Ages 3 to 10 years.

Second Floor

## Braided Suits for Youths

Quite the Newest and Smartest Idea of the Spring

\$17.50

Cut and tailored with great care. Sizes 30 to 36. Blue or Oxford gray unfinished worsteds, in youthful, form-conforming, slender models. Finished with silk braid. The latest innovation; dressy at small outlay. And, by-the-way, the trousers have a belt of self-material, and a neat buckle.

Fifth Floor

## Important Sale Tomorrow Boys' Shirts at 65¢

(Six for \$3.75)

Made by one of the foremost manufacturers of Men's Shirts who has cut up the remaining "Short Ends" of piece goods used in men's shirts into boys' sizes. We have had first selection.

Fine mercerized fabrics in splendid assortment of colored stripes on white grounds. French turn-back soft cuffs. Excellently made, sizes 12 to 14½.

Second Floor

## Triple Stem Hair Switches Special, Tomorrow, at \$6.95

Soft, beautiful, wavy Switches, made of excellent quality hair, natural wave. Made in three separate strands, so that one may take them apart and wear either one, two or three strands at a time. Extraordinary values. All shades. A perfect match guaranteed.

Third Floor

TOMORROW, Something Out of the Thousand Pairs of the Best Stockings for WOMEN, of which you know, AT 59¢ a Pair.

Black, White and Colors to Match the Spring Gowns and Shoes. Double-knit, Heels, Toes; High-Spliced Heels. All Sizes.

Main Floor

## The Newest Spring Models in NEMO CORSETS

Are now being shown. A Corset for every type of figure, each insuring comfort and smart effect.

NEMO Corsets for Medium and Stout Figures, \$2.00 to \$5.00

Nemo Fashion Corsets, for Medium and Slender Figures, \$2.00 to \$5.00

Smart Set Corsets, for Slender, Medium and Well-developed Figures, \$4 to \$7

Third Floor

## Stern Brothers

42nd and 43rd Streets, West of Fifth Avenue

## Are showing a very large and comprehensive assemblage of Smart Fashions for Misses and Girls

THAT accurately portray the more exclusive modes in Tailored and Dressy Walking Suits, Afternoon, Party and Dancing Dresses, Street, Motor and Traveling Coats for the younger set.

To-morrow these early season price advantages will prevail:

### Misses' Apparel (14, 16 and 18 yrs.)

Smart Tailored and Dressy Suits, of tailor serge or shepherd checks, daintily trimmed, at \$18.75

Dressy Suits, of gabardines, serges or shepherd checks; coats trimmed with faille or moire silks, at 27.50

Braid Bound Suits, custom tailored model, of serge, in navy or black, also check worsted, at 29.50

Afternoon and Evening Frocks, in an excellent choice of this season's fashionable materials and colorings, at 16.50

Spring Top Coats, several smart styles, of serges, army cloths, gabardines or coverts, \$15.00, 18.75

### Girls' Apparel (6 to 17 yrs.)

Shoe Top Suits, of serges, gabardines or shepherd checks, dressy or belted effects, 18 to 17 yrs. 14.75, 17.50

Washable Frocks, of ramic linen, with detachable skirt and waist, front of dress hand embroidered, at \$5.00

Smocked Hand Embroidered Dresses, of gingham or fancy batiste . . . at \$2.75 to 6.95

Tailored and Dress Coats, of shepherd checks or English serges, in empire, 5.00 to 9.75 belted or semi-box models.

Girls' Coats of serges, checks, gabardines or faille silk, many silk lined, at 10.95 to 21.50

## Boys' New Spring Clothing

INCLUDING every requirement for Easter or Confirmation wear is now ready at very inviting prices.

Boys' Norfolk Suits, extra trousers, splendidly tailored from standard imported and American fabrics, in newest models; sizes 7 to 18 yrs., at \$9.75 to 15.00

Long Trouser Suits, new models with Norfolk or plain sack coats, in blue serge and neat mixtures; 14 to 19 years, \$12.50

Boys' New Washable Suits, featuring the most desirable fabrics, in a splendid variety of styles; sizes 2½ to 10 years, at \$1.65 to 5.50

Small Boys' Reefers, in a wide variety of covert cloths, blue serges, checks and mixtures; sizes 2½ to 10 years, at \$4.75 to 10.00

Vestee and Middy Suits, in new Palm Beach Summer fabrics, tan or olive shades; also shepherd checks; 3 to 8 years, at \$5.50

A very advantageous price inducement to-morrow in

Boys' Norfolk Suits, with extra trousers at \$6.75

## Boys' and Girls' Spring Footwear

Will be found on the Second Floor, in unusually attractive lines of lace and button shoes, oxfords, ankle ties and play oxfords constructed on comfortable lasts from the most durable leathers.

Of special interest are the following styles:

### Girls' Button Shoes

Of patent leather with full kid or black cloth tops; also gun metal calfskin with dull kid tops. Sizes 8 to 11, at \$2.00 11½ to 2, \$2.50

Sizes 2½ to 7, at \$3.25

### Boys' Sturdy Shoes

Made of durable black calfskin in blucher lace models on broad mannish lasts with Goodyear welted soles of solid leather. Sizes 10 to 13½, \$2.50

Sizes 1 to 6, \$3.00

Boys' Scout Shoes, of pliable tan leather, welted soles, specially treated to resist hard wear. Sizes 10 to 13½, at \$2.25

Sizes 1 to 6, at \$2.50